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**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER (37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a))**

Applicants in the above-identified application hereby petition for a 1-month extension of time to and including September 17, 2006 for responding to the Office Action mailed May 17, 2006. A response to the Office Action accompanies this Petition.

☐ A check in the amount of \$\_\_.00 is enclosed herewith.

☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge Deposit Account No. 50-1017 (**Billing No. 210407.0124**) as noted below. A duplicate copy is enclosed.

☒ Extension fee in the amount of \$120.00

☒ Any deficiencies or overpayments in the above-calculated fee.

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